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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:

Kazuhiro AKUTSU et al.

Application No.: 09/993,616

Group Art Unit: 3691

Filed: November 27, 2001

Examiner: John O. Preston

For: ATM PLACEMENT FEE DETERMINATION METHOD, SERVICE PROVIDING SYSTEM, FINANCING SYSTEM, AUTOMATED TRANSACTION MACHINE, AUTOMATED FINANCIAL TRANSACTION MACHINE, AND RECORDING MEDIUM IN WHICH ATM PLACEMENT FEE DETERMINATION PROGRAM IS RECORDED

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attention: After Final

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed November 9, 2009 finally rejecting claims 1-9, 11-19, and 26-33.

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. EXTENSION OF TIME PETITION AND FEE

X Attached is a petition for a three-month extension of time for reply to the final rejection (a one-month extension fee of \$130.00 was previously paid on March 9, 2010). \$ 980.00

2. APPEAL FEE

X Other than a small entity 540.00

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3. PAYMENT

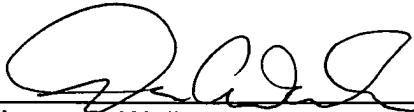
X Check attached for the total fee of \$ 1,520.00.

X Charge Account 19-3935 for any fee deficiency.

Respectfully submitted,

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